

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Axel ULLRICH, *et al.*
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.312

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicants submit the following Amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.

Applicants have amended the inventorship of the present application to delete Naohito Aoki, Hong Yang Wang, Zhengjun Chen, Oliver Naylor and Alexei Kharitononkov as co-inventors of the claimed subject matter. The deleted inventors' inventions are no longer being claimed in the above-identified application. A Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48 (b) is being filed concurrently.

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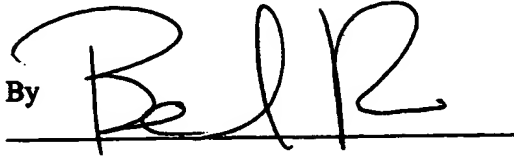
If the Examiner has any questions concerning this application, he or she is requested to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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